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La Salle University's Weekly Information Circular

September 24, 2010



Explorer Club's Autumn Auction, September 18 *(courtesy of the Athletics Department)*

Academic News

TO: Faculty and Administrators

FROM: Joseph R. Marbach, Ph.D., Provost

RE: **HONORS CONVOCATION -- SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2010**

Please plan to attend the 2010 Honors Convocation in the Gola Arena of the Hayman Center. The ceremony begins at 3:00 p.m.

Please plan to march in the procession and report to the Concession area on the Mezzanine level of the Hayman Center for vesting. Please report by 2:30 p.m.

Deans' Lists students will be recognized at this event, the Faculty Distinguished Scholarship Award will be given, and an honorary degree will be conferred upon:

Vikram Dewan

President and Chief Executive Officer
The Philadelphia Zoo

The marshals for the procession will assist you in forming the line of march in this order:

Instructors
Librarians and Assistant Professors
Associate Professors
Professors
Department Chairs
Administrators

We would like to have all elements of the procession ready to move by 2:45 p.m. Your cooperation in arriving and vesting promptly will be appreciated.

Following the Convocation, a reception will be held in the Blue and Gold Commons of the North Residence Hall complex. The entrance to the Commons is directly across Olney Avenue from the entrance to the Hayman Center parking area.

Thank you.

Wildlife Extinction?

- (a) are you kidding? (I didn't cause it)...*
- (b) don't need this guilt trip (not before lunch, anyway)...*
- (c) what does the Philadelphia Zoo have to do with all of this?*
- (d) all of the above*
- (e) none of the above*



Vikram Dewan

President and CEO of the Philadelphia Zoo

Monday, October 4

Dan Rodden Theatre: 1-2 p.m.

Mr. Dewan will be accompanied by the ZOW (Zoo on Wheels), which includes a naturalist with live animals.



Join other Lasallians as they

Walk for Autism

Saturday, October 2

Citizens Bank Park

A bus is available to take volunteers to and from the walk. It leaves from the Hayman Center at **8:15 a.m.** and returns there before **2:00 p.m.**

Please e-mail Sarah Lack (lacks1@student.lasalle.edu) about questions regarding registration or to sign up for the bus.

For more information, go to

<http://www.walknowforautismspeaks.org/faf/home/default.asp?ievent=347777>

Featured Photos



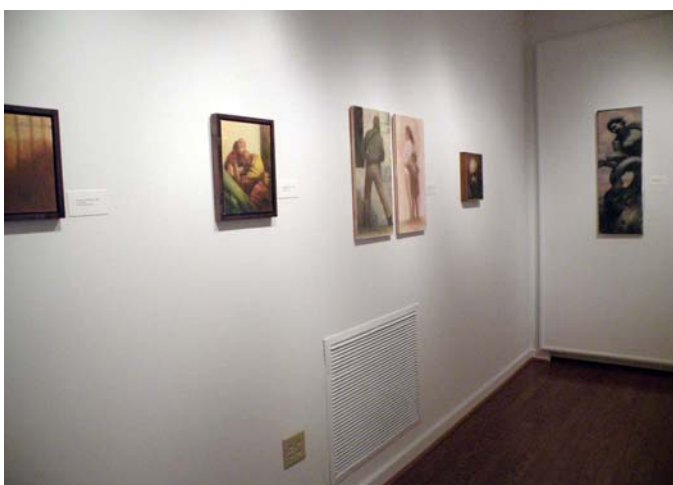
"Unscientific America" presentation in the Dan Rodden Theater by Christopher Mooney, September 20



A display of old photos of staff in University Advancement on a wall on the 5th floor of St. Benilde Tower



Free screenings for BMI (Body Mass Index) and blood pressure at the Healthcare Open Enrollment Meeting, September 21



Sidney Goodman: Small Paintings exhibit in the Art Museum



General News

September 24, 2010

Dear La Salle Community,

Family Weekend will be held October 1-3, and we want you to know that as a member of the La Salle Community, you are invited to attend. The invitation detailing all of the events listed is posted on www.lasalle.edu/parents under the Family Weekend tab. Within the text there is a link that will take you to the invitation. Check it out!

We have offered activities that are complimentary and some that involve cost. Friday evening, two trips are scheduled – one to Dave and Buster's on Delaware Avenue and the other to Eastern State Penitentiary's Haunted House. At 10 p.m., in association with Late Night La Salle – Nate Haniforth, a magician, will be performing in the Dan Rodden Theatre.

On Saturday there will be a Philly Style Lunch served on the quad from 11:30 a.m. -1:30 p.m. The Jazz Band will be performing in the Dan Rodden Theatre at 11a.m. After lunch, buses will be departing campus heading to—

- Citizens Bank Park for a behind-the-scenes tour of the stadium
- The Cleopatra Exhibit at the Franklin Institute
- Bus trip to the historical section of the city

"Carnifall" will take place on the tennis courts beginning at 3 p.m., and is sure to be a fun time for all, most especially the children. Please bring your children/grandchildren to campus to enjoy carnival games, moon bounce, and other activities. Carnifall is a complimentary event sponsored by RSA.

On Saturday evening, "Dinner and Night In Vegas" will take place in the Ballroom, followed by the movie *Toy Story 3*, which will be shown on the tennis courts (hopefully, under the stars). Bring your blankets and chairs! For all you night owls, the student group, Improv, will be performing in the Dan Rodden Theatre at 10 p.m. The movie and Improv are in association with Late Night La Salle. Stephen Jamison's students groups – Neo-African Drums 'N Dance and Music Society Rock 'N Rap will perform on the courts before the movie.

Family Weekend will culminate on Sunday with Liturgy in the De La Salle Chapel at 11:15 a.m., followed by Brunch with Brother Michael on the quad at 12:15 p.m. Art Museum tours will be on-going from 2-4 p.m.

Please check the invitation for the complimentary and reserved events and make plans to come out for a fun-filled weekend! Please direct your replies to Marie Cantwell, Box 809 or you may call (x5049) or e-mail (cantwell@lasalle.edu) with any questions.

Sincerely,

Maria Cantwell
University Advancement



The End of Journalism?

Losing the News

Huntly Collins, M.A., Communication

Wednesday, September 29, 3:00 p.m.

Holroyd Lobby (Free Food)

Across the country, news organizations are cutting staff, shuttering national and foreign bureaus and dissolving investigative units. Why is this happening and what's the impact on a democratic society and the pursuit of social justice in America? Join Huntly Collins, La Salle journalism professor, in exploring this most urgent problem facing society today.

****Followed at 5:00 p.m. by a conversation with Barbara Laker and Wendy Ruderman, reporters for The Philadelphia Daily News who won the 2010 Pulitzer Prize for investigative reporting about police corruption.****

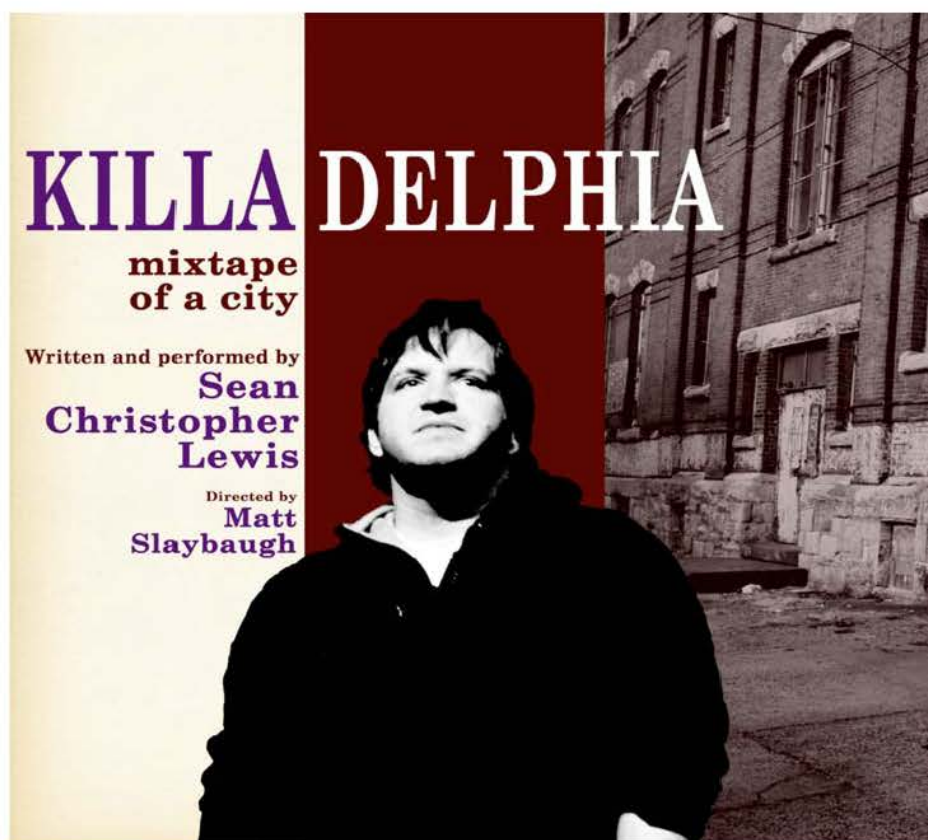


***Explorer Cafés are every Wednesday
at 3:00p.m. Open to all.***

Questions or comments?

**Contact Julianna Gwiszcz
(gwiszczj1@lasalle.edu)**

**Think
Drink.
Connect.**



When: Tuesday, October 5, 7:00 p.m.

Where: Dan Rodden Theatre

How Much: FREE

In the Summer of 2008, it was often said that Philadelphia had “more bodies than days.” The city was in the midst of a murder epidemic that put it on par with some third world countries. Determined to take an unflinching look at the causes of the crime rate and its effect on the community, playwright/performer Sean Christopher Lewis introduces us to the inmates of Graterford Prison – men employed to beautify the city even as they serve out life sentences.

The stunning result is *Killadelphia: mixtape of a city*.

Sponsored by the Philadelphia Center, The Masque, the Essential Question, the Project on Justice, the Department of Sociology, Social Work & Criminal Justice, and The Explorer Connection.



Healthcare Open Enrollment Meeting!

Wednesday, September 29

12:00 noon - 3:00 p.m.

Music Room

**Join us for
Free blood pressure
and body mass index screenings
—and FREE FOOD!**

**PLEASE STOP BY AND ENTER YOUR NAME
IN A RAFFLE TO WIN—
\$50 movie gift certificate
Tickets to La Salle vs. St. Joe's Basketball game
at the Palestra**

*Special Thanks to The Athletics Department, United Concordia, and
Armstrong, Doyle & Carroll

When cops become corrupt

And the two courageous reporters who exposed them



Philadelphia Daily News reporters Barbara Laker (left) and Wendy Ruderman with editor Michael Days after winning the Pulitzer Prize in journalism for exposing a rogue narcotics squad.

Meet the reporters. Hear their story.

Wednesday, September 29, 5:00 p.m.

Holroyd Hall Atrium

(after the 3:00 p.m. *Explorer Café*, "Losing the News", featuring Huntly Collins)

Moderators: La Salle journalism professor Huntly Collins and students in HON 389

Sponsored by





Upcoming Athletics Events September 25 – October 2

Field Hockey @ Hank DeVincent Field

Sat., Sept 25	Lehigh	1:00 p.m.
Sun., Sept. 26	Saint Francis (PA)	1:00 p.m.
Sat., Oct. 2	Bryant	12:00 p.m.

Women's Tennis @ La Salle Tennis Courts

Sun., Sept. 26	Delaware State	1:00 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 28	Univ. of the Sciences in Philadelphia	4:00 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 21	Philadelphia Univ.	3:30 p.m.

Men's Soccer @ McCarthy Stadium

Sat., Oct. 2	Temple	2:00 p.m.
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GO EXPLORERS!

Employment**Administrative Assistant III
School of Nursing and Health Sciences**

The School of Nursing and Health Sciences is currently seeking to fill the position of Administrative Assistant III for the Office of the Dean. Qualified applicants should possess a working knowledge of Microsoft Office for Windows (Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Access), effective verbal and written communication skills, and organizational abilities for maintaining School records, scheduling appointments, planning and assisting School activities. Knowledge of Banner is preferred. High School Diploma/GED required. Full benefits include tuition remission.

Applicants should submit a detailed resume, salary requirements, and employment references by **October 15, 2010** to the following:

Dr. Zane Robinson Wolf

Dean, School of Nursing and Health Sciences
Box 808
1900. W. Olney Ave.
Philadelphia, PA 19141

AA/EOE

a Salle University is a Roman Catholic university in the tradition of the De La Salle Christian Brothers and welcomes applicants from all backgrounds who can contribute to our unique educational mission. For a complete mission statement, please visit our website at www.lasalle.edu.

Procedures for Submitting Items for Inclusion in the Campus News

All information for the General, Academic, Minutes, or Athletic sections— with or without graphics and photos—must be submitted electronically either:

- via the “Submit an item” form in the Media and Publications channel on the News and Media tab of the portal,
- via e-mail to the campusnews@lasalle.edu. (The article title must be included in the subject line of the e-mail), or
- via CD sent to Campus News, Box 187.

Submissions can be sent with graphics and photos laid out with the text or sent with the text and graphics separately. Please submit flyers and circulars as attachments in Microsoft ®Word or as PDF files. Please submit photos as JPEG files.

Letterhead or logos with submissions must conform to the approved standards explained and illustrated in the *Brand Book* published and distributed by University Communications.

All photos and graphics (clip art, logos other than La Salle's) must have their owners' permission to be reproduced. If you submit them with your information, you are responsible for gaining this permission.

All employment listings must be submitted first to Human Resources for approval (for more information, contact Gregory O'Shea at 215.951.1354).

Deadlines for Submission

- General News, Meeting Minutes, Events, and Other News: **Wednesday at 4 p.m.**
- New Positions of Employment at La Salle University: **Monday at 2 p.m.**